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The Honorable Arthur Gardner United States Embassy Havana, Cuba

Dear Arthur:

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I have on my agenda as a matter of priority a visit to Havana next spring but I look forward to seeing you in the meantime.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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## EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA HAVANA

June 19, 1956

Dear Allen:

Can't let your excellent man Lyman Kirkpatrick go without a word of praise. He has been splendid in everything he's undertaken. To do this with his present handicap certainly shows amazing character a case of real guts.

Still hoping you can get down yourself sometime for a few days a little later to press home the advantage we now have.

With warm personal regards,

Arthur Gardner American Ambassador

Most cardially,

The Honorable
Allen W. Dulles
Director, Central
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The Honorable
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Director, Central Intelligence Agency
WASHINGTON DC

EMBAŞSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA HAVANA

June 25, 1956

Dear Allen:

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Am most distressed to hear you can't get down here but will certainly hold you to a visit next fall. In the meantime will have to carry on without your inspiring presence.

Please be sure to give my regards to whom I've known for a long time and who was down here for a short time this winter.

With warm personal regards,

Most cordially,

Arthur Gardner

The Honorable
Allen W. Dulles
Director, Central
Intelligence Agency
Washington, D.C.